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Overview of the engagement of development partners in RE in SEE

Session III: Mapping the RE Support in the Region

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Outline

- 1. Introduction
- 2. Overview of RE project by donors and development banks
- 3. Insights into technical assistance projects in the region
- 4. Future outlook of donor work
- 5. Conclusions



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Introduction: Mapping RE donor & development bank work

Initial research

Online information gathering was conducted with 22 institutions

174 projects identified worth of at least 15 Billion USD*.

Interviews & workshop

Interviews were conducted with more than 15 representatives of donors and development banks.

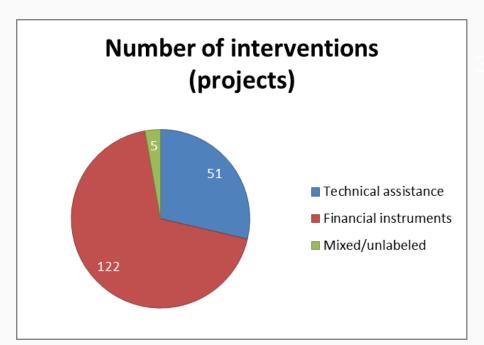
This workshop will be used to complete information gathering.

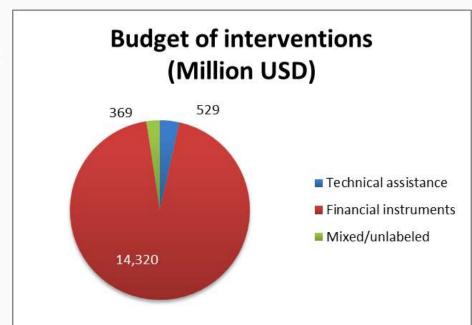
Update & finalise

Final report will be delivered to IRENA to feed into its Action Plan preparation.

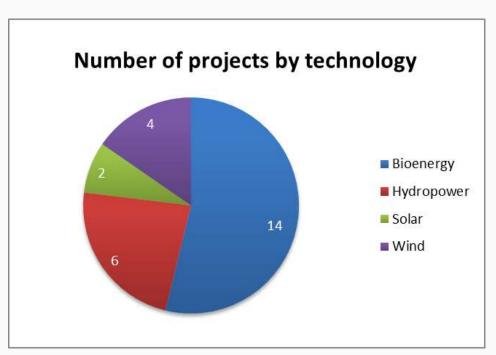
^{*}Number is indicative amount because the monetary value was not identified for all the projects.

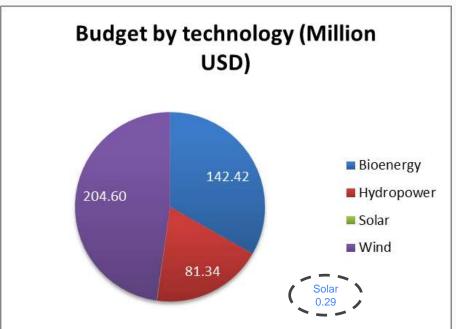
Overview of RE projects



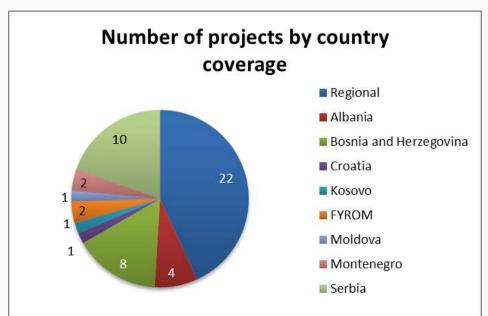


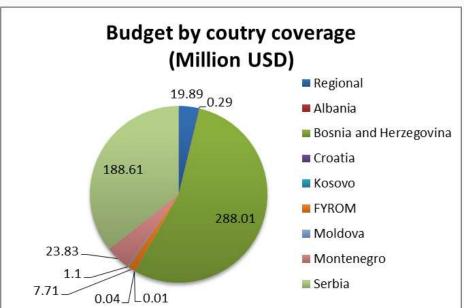
Technical assistance RE projects (1)





Technical assistance RE projects (2)





TA: Who is doing what

Regional legislative harmonization

 Energy Community, European Commission

Policy & regulatory assistance

 Energy Community, GIZ, USAid, EBRD, IFC, European Commission

Technical support

 EBRD, ADA, KfW, UNDP, European Commission

R&D

• CEI, European Commission

Investment facilities

• WBIF, GfG

Key regional initiatives

Green for Growth Fund (GGF)









TA: Regional level

Donor approach

Regional facilities allow countries to address their adhoc needs

Systemic and year-on-year analysis of regional RE market is missing

Data sharing between donors and initiatives is very limited.

Key pieces of regional analysis

Planned: Preparation of a regional hydro-power master plan (WBIF)

Ongoing: Study on biomass heating (WBIF)

Completed: Energy Community RE progress report

Completed: Biomass consumption in the household, industrial & tertiary sectors (EnC)

Completed: Balkan Wind Atlas (kfW)

EnC: RECG

Work plan 2016-2017

All Energy Community countries covered

Link to Donor Community

Technical support needed to execute priorities

Future outlook of donor work on RE in the region

WBIFGfGGIZUSAidEC/EnCom

Technical assistance committed

Actively looking out for projects to support

- KfW
- EBRD
- WB
- EIB

- Swedish International Development Cooperation Agency
- UNDP (in the context of sustainable cities)

Interested to consider

Conclusion



IRENA can fill a gap in RE technical assistance in the region

- In shaping renewable energy debate.
- In serving as a knowledge hub, gathering data, analyzing trends and disseminating technical and technology expertise.
- In advising for regional collaboration on the topic of renewable energy, complementary to the activities of the Energy Community

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Thank you

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List of donors & development banks

Austria Development Agency (ADA) & Development

Bank of Austria

Black Sea Trade and Development Bank

Canadian International Development Agency

Central European Initiative

Council of Europe Development Bank

European Bank for Reconstruction and Development

European Investment Bank

Energy Charter

Energy Community

European Commission

Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale

Zusammenarbeit (GIZ)

International Bank for Reconstruction and

Development

International Finance Corporation

Italian Cooperation Development Agency

KfW

Norwegian Ministry of Foreign Affairs

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Swedish International Development Cooperation

Agency

Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation /

Swiss- State Secretariat for Economic Affairs SECO

United Nations Development Programme (UNDP)

United Nations Economic Commission for Europe

(UNECE)

United Nations Industrial Development Organization

(UNIDO)

USAID

Western Balkans Investment Facility (WBIF)

World Bank